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1. (Internal Use Only - JGO) Talked to Erik Rasmussen, Legislative Assistant to Representative Lee Hamilton (D., Ind.), and to Mike Van Dusen, Consultant to Representative Hamilton for the Near East and South Asia Subcommittee, House Foreign Affairs Committee, with regard to the letter of 29 June from Hamilton. In brief, Rasmussen indicated that Hamilton had indicated he wanted to talk to me about this matter on more than one occasion since my visit to the office on 1 June 1973. He feels that in the press of tidying up his desk on Friday Representative Hamilton had sent this letter out. He suggested that we wait until Hamilton's return on Monday or Tuesday, 9 or 10 July, and talk with him at that time.

2. (Unclassified - GLC) Called Sam Dash, Chief Counsel, Senate Select Committee on Presidential Campaign Activities, to try to determine the time frame in which the Committee will want General Walters to appear before the Committee. I told Dash the General would be necessarily involved in foreign travel between now and the August recess and it would be helpful if he knew when the Committee might desire his presence. Dash said he would expect that the Committee would want General Walters to come up some time during the last full week in July or possibly the following week which runs into early August. This information was passed on to

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3. (Unclassified - GLC) Jack Ticer, Chief Clerk, Senate Armed Services Committee, called and said Senator Symington wanted Mr. Colby to appear before the CIA Subcommittee on 11 July for a session on the budget. I told Ticer that Mr. Colby already had a commitment with Senator McClellan, Senate Appropriations Committee, on that date and we tentatively agreed to have Mr. Colby come up on 12 July. Later in the day Ticer called back and referred to Senator Symington's letter to Mr. Colby asking him to appear on the 11th. Ticer said it was not for publication but Senator Symington wanted to have Mr. Colby before the CIA Subcommittee of Armed Services before the full Committee votes on his nomination and Symington was hoping to have that on the 12th and therefore Ticer asked if Mr. Colby could possibly come up on the 10th. After checking with Mr. Colby we agreed that Mr. Colby would appear before the Subcommittee on the 10th.